

February 14, 1955

Dr. Alan Gaman  
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Dear Alan:

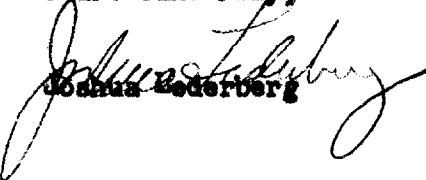
You wrote me something a while ago about sending a ms. I haven't received it so far, and hope it isn't lost in the mails.

As I wrote you earlier, I am anxious to know exactly what you planned to accomplish in your projected fellowship here. I wish I had an early opportunity to discuss it with you first hand, but unfortunately do not right now. However, Dr. Larry Morse will be in New York this week. I would urge you to try to get in touch with him, and discuss your plans with him. Larry has just finished his Ph.D. here and is well acquainted with the current tenor of the lab. He has agreed to look for your message.

He will be staying at the Roosevelt Hotel, at Madison and 45th (MU-6-9200), from Wednesday night through Friday, ca. 4PM. If it would be most convenient at that time, he is scheduled on an AA flight 218 from Chicago, due 8:45 PM, where you might possibly catch him also. Larry had more or less thought of going out to CSH himself, but transportation seemed problematical. He will also be in touch with Norton on Thursday or Friday.

As you can see, I am very earnestly thinking about your program of coming here. Postdoctorals need a good deal more thought however than graduate programs, and I want to be certain that your coming would be based on a clear mutual understanding of each of our interests.

Yours sincerely,

  
Joshua Lederberg